



# HUNTING LICENSES

A HUNTING LICENSE is required to take any birds or mammals,  
except as otherwise provided by the Fish and Game Code.

## LICENSES

Valid July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008

Resident.....	\$37.30
Junior.....	9.70
Nonresident.....	129.40
Two-Day Nonresident.....	37.30
Disabled Veteran*.....	5.75
Duplicate (annual licenses only).....	8.40

## DEER AND BEAR TAG APPLICATIONS

### First-Deer Tag Application

Resident.....	\$24.95
Nonresident.....	219.20

### Second-Deer Tag Application

Resident.....	31.00
Nonresident.....	219.20

### Bear Tag Application

Resident.....	36.50
Nonresident*.....	220.00

\* Sold only at DFG Offices

## ADDITIONAL STAMPS

California Duck.....	\$16.00
Upland Game Bird.....	7.60
Hunter Education.....	3.70

## WILD PIG TAGS

Resident (1 Tag).....	\$17.85
Nonresident (1 Tag).....	59.60



**AUTHORIZED LICENSE AGENT**

Your license purchase supports conservation and management of California's wildlife.

To Report Hunting, Fishing, or Pollution Violations Call 1-888-DFG-CALTIP (1-888-334-2258)

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# License Agent News



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**CaTIP**  
Report Poaching and Polluting Incidents  
(888) DFG-CALTIP or (888) 334-2258



## 2007/2008 INITIAL ORDER OF HUNTING ITEMS

### Consignment Accounts

Enclosed is your initial shipment of 2007/2008 hunting items. Initial consignments of 2007/2008 hunting items are based on your reported sales from the 2006/2007 license year.

### Collect on Delivery (COD) Accounts

Enclosed is a License Agent Order Form to order your 2007/2008 hunting items. You may submit your order at anytime; however, 2007/2008 hunting items will not be shipped until mid April.

**IMPORTANT:** Due to changes with the State's shipping contract, DFG will no longer use United Parcel Service. All shipments will be sent via **DHL**. The DHL COD fee is **\$11.00**. Checks and money orders must be made payable to DFG, and include your agent account and order ID numbers.

### Check your shipment carefully!

If you find a discrepancy in your shipment, write the discrepancy on the shipping report (i.e., missing books, books not listed on the shipping report, defective books) and fax or mail a copy to the License Agent Order Desk within five (5) business days.

### Undelivered License Shipments

If you do not receive your shipment of hunting items by mid May, or within 15 business days after the order was placed, please contact the License Agent Order Desk immediately to report a lost shipment. Shipments reported lost after six months cannot be verified by and will not be adjusted from an agent's account.

### BIG GAME DRAWING DEADLINE IS JUNE 4, 2007

Make sure your customers aren't left out. Our customers depend on you to supply them with the correct hunting items to apply for the big game drawing. In mid April, the DFG will mail the **2007 California Hunting Digest - Big Game**, formerly known as the Big Game Hunting booklet, to more than 57,000 hunters who participated in last year's big game drawing. After receiving the digest, these hunters will be ready to purchase their license items and apply for the 2007 Big Game Drawing.

**IMPORTANT!** Hunters **must** purchase a 2007/2008 hunting license to apply for 2007/2008 big game tags. Once you verify your order of 2007/2008 hunting items, please start selling to your customers **immediately**. Customers' drawing applications for antelope, elk, sheep and premium deer tags must be received at the DFG's License and Revenue Branch, in Sacramento, no later than **5:00 p.m. on June 4, 2007**.

**Reminder:** The License and Revenue Branch moved to  
**1740 N. Market Blvd, Sacramento, CA 95834**



WHAT’S NEW FOR 2007?

California’s Hunting License Turns 100!

First established by the California Legislature in 1907, the 2007/2008 license marks the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the California Hunting License. To celebrate the occasion the license features a wildlife design by artist K.E. Pack.



Issuing Hunting Licenses

Issuing a 2007/2008 Centennial Hunting License has changed slightly due to the new look.

- If the licensee purchases a First-Deer Tag, Second-Deer Tag and/or Bear Tag Application(s), the space provided to record the application numbers is on the back of the hunting license.
- The licensee’s residency statement and signature are on the back of the license.



**Important!** Remember: Give the customer the “Application for Duplicate Hunting License” portion of the hunting license. Also, remind hunters to keep it in a separate place, as this application is required to obtain a duplicate hunting license at a reduced fee.

Change in C-Zone Application Procedure

Hunters must use a First-Deer Tag Application to apply for a C-Zone Deer Tag. A Second-Deer Tag Application cannot be used to apply for a C-Zone Deer Tag.

New Opportunities for Nonresidents

Nonresident hunters are eligible to apply for a portion of the available elk and antelope tags.

New Elk Hunts, Changes in Hunt Periods

The DFG has proposed the following two new elk hunts:

- Northwestern California Roosevelt Elk Hunt (10 either-sex tags)
- San Luis Reservoir Tule Elk Hunt (1 either-sex tags)

The DFG also proposed splitting the Owens Valley Tule Elk Hunt into five separate hunts (Bishop, Independence, Lone Pine, Tinemaha and West Tinemaha) that will span from September until early December. Final approval by the Fish and Game Commission on April 25, 2007. For information on approved tag quotas, please contact your nearest DFG office after May 1, 2007.

View Preference Point Totals Online

Hunters may view their preference point information seven days a week. Please visit the DFG web site at <http://biggame.dfg.ca.gov/bgpoints/>.

Automated Licensing Data System Project Delayed

The Automated License Data System (ALDS) Project which was scheduled for deployment later this year has been delayed to 2008. The DFG’s decision to delay the project is based on our commitment to deliver a quality system rather than rushing towards what was becoming a very difficult schedule to maintain. Our contractor, Outdoor Central, currently has six states under contract for similar systems with California being the fifth state scheduled for delivery. Unfortunately, the ALDS project is being impacted by Outdoor Central experiencing delays in two of four states currently scheduled for delivery ahead of us.

We are committed to reporting our progress and sharing information on this critical project and we will continue to do so. For additional information on the ALDS project please visit our web site at: [www.dfg.ca.gov/licensing/automatedlicensesystem/introduction.html](http://www.dfg.ca.gov/licensing/automatedlicensesystem/introduction.html), or contact Ms. Cavi Cavness, Analyst, at (916) 928-5833, or email [CCavness@dfg.ca.gov](mailto:CCavness@dfg.ca.gov) or Mr. Richard Reyes, ALDS Project Manager, at (916) 928-6899, or email [RReyes@dfg.ca.gov](mailto:RReyes@dfg.ca.gov).

Important Sales Reminders

During the months of April, May, and June, most License Agents will be selling 2006/2007 and the 2007/2008 hunting items during the same time. Please ask your customers the following questions to ensure they are being licensed properly:

- **What license year do you need?**
- **When do you plan on hunting?** If answered, before June 30, 2007, they will need 2006/2007 hunting items.
- **Are you applying for Big Game Drawing?** If yes, they will need 2007/2008 hunting items.

All applicants must show evidence of hunter education, to obtain a California hunting license. Please refer to the inside back cover of the hunting license books for acceptable types of hunter education.

Hunter Survey

The DFG needs your assistance in managing California’s diverse hunting programs. Please record the name, driver’s license or ID number, date of birth, and address, of one hunter per hunting license book. Licensee information is provided to DFG biologists to conduct surveys. This allows DFG to more accurately estimate hunter effort and harvest rates to help effectively manage hunting programs.

Hunter participation is voluntary and providing the driver’s license or ID number is optional. Please note that all personal information provided by the hunter is considered confidential and will only be used to contact hunters to conduct hunting surveys.

For more information please contact Mr. Tom Blankinship, of the DFG’s Wildlife Branch, at (916) 445-3615, or email [TBlankin@dfg.ca.gov](mailto:TBlankin@dfg.ca.gov).

Selling Deer and Bear Tag Applications

When issuing deer and bear tag applications, you are required to write the applicant’s deer and/or bear tag application number(s) on the appropriate space on their hunting license. This prevents hunters from obtaining more than the legal number of tags during each license year. (Section 707, Title 14, CCR) **Note:** On the 2007/2008 Hunting License the space to record the application numbers is on the back of the license.

**Important!** Hunters must purchase a First-Deer Tag Application prior to or along with purchasing a Second-Deer Tag Application. Hunters must use a First-Deer Tag Application to apply for premium deer tags in the DFG’s annual big game drawing. **Exception:** Junior hunters applying for junior hunts may use a Second-Deer Tag Application.

Harvest Information Program (HIP) Survey

License agents, are required to ask all hunting license applicants if they plan on hunting migratory game birds. Hunters, who answer, yes, must complete a HIP form and affix a HIP stamp to the back of the applicant’s hunting license. Persons hunting migratory game birds without a HIP stamp affixed to their hunting license may be cited. The following are considered migratory game birds:

All Ducks	Dove
Band-tailed Pigeon	Gallinules
Brant	Geese
Coots	Snipe

IMPORTANT:

Completed HIP forms must be mailed to the US Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) every two weeks in the envelopes provided by the DFG. The envelopes must only be used to send your HIP forms to the USFWS, in Laurel, Maryland. **DO NOT** use the envelopes to return your sales reports; you will be held accountable for late sales reports and are subject to penalty and interest charges.

Important Dates in 2007

Shipping Schedule

April	<b>Hunting License Items</b>
April	<b>California Hunting Digest - Big Game</b>
May	<b>Deer Zone Maps</b> – Are provided as a courtesy to our customers and are <u>not</u> for sale.
June	<b>Mammals and Furbearers Regulation Booklets</b>

Holiday Schedule

Department offices will be closed for the following State holidays, please plan accordingly:

May 28, 2007	November 12, 2007
July 4, 2007	November 22, 2007
September 3, 2007	November 23, 2007
October 8, 2007	December 25, 2007